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FROM: Temnit Afework

Serial No: 08/796,752

OUR DOCKET: 614.1804

RE: Copy of Amendment filed on July 29, 2004

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COMMENTS:

Per our telephone conversation today, enclosed is a copy of the Amendment filed on July 29, 2004 in response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2004.

Please don't hesitate to contact me at 202-454-1551 if I can be of further assistance regarding this case.

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Amendment including Fee/Reply transmittal

APPLICANT(S): Koji ARAI

SERIAL NO: 08/796,752

CONFIRMATION NO. 9335

TITLE: COMMUNICATION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A RADIO LOCAL AREA
NETWORK SYSTEM USING A MACRODIVERSITY

FILING DATE: February 6, 1997

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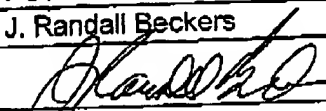
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		Application Number		08/796,752	
		Filing Date		February 6, 1997	
		First Named Inventor		Koji ARAI	
		Group Art Unit		2665	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED		0.00		Examiner Name P. Nguyen	
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	7	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	7	- 11 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on July 30, 2004.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.